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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF.

Mrs. Strickland's fourth class in parliamentary law will be formed this afternoon at Miss Pierce's residence No. 186 Ottawa street at 3 o'clock. Persons wishing to join are requested to be present at the hour stated.

Charles Gray returned yesterday from a two weeks' trip to Vermont and other eastern places. While away he was married to Ida Gale, formerly a resident of this city. They will reside at No. 182 Shawmut avenue.

The strike in the Grand Rapids Chair company's factory over which the Democrat attempted to create a sensation is constant in fact of the refusal of six girls to try a new kind of work at the old scale of prices.

C. C. Byer, of the firm of Byer Bros., proprietors of the Spring Fountain park at Warsaw, Ind., and owners of at least twenty produce houses in Indiana, was in the city yesterday.

Captain Garry of the United States recruiting office has established a branch office in Muskegon and detailed Corporal Rock of his squad for duty there.

Some of the Pearl street property owners are objecting to the encroachments of the stone entrance to the Y. M. C. A. building upon the sidewalk.

The Columbian club, a newly organized social club, will give its opening ball in the A. O. H. hall on Ottawa street, Monday evening.

M. C. Barber of North College avenue returned yesterday from a four weeks' trip to Houston, Tex., and through the southwest.

Sisson & Lelley will have their new planing mill running within thirty days and expect to have one of the finest mills in the state.

P. T. Williams gave a chattel mortgage to his wife yesterday for \$1,600. The paper covers his stock of drugs on South Division street.

Grand Rapids division, Uniformed Rank Knights of Pythias, has a new armory on the fourth floor of the new Aldrich block.

The mission band of the Church of Christ will have a Japanese social in the lecture room of the church this Friday evening.

J. W. Hunter, master of transportation for the G. R. & I. at Fort Wayne, was in the city on business yesterday.

Harmony lodge, No. 189, A. O. U. W. will give a grand ball at North park on the evening of Columbus day.

Dr. M. D. Thomas, speaker of the V. S. S., gave spiritual tests at Elks' hall yesterday afternoon.

Dr. Preedy's new tenement flat on Wealthy avenue is rapidly nearing completion.

The Union of Unions held a meeting in the Good Templars' hall yesterday afternoon.

The Woman's Missionary society of Park church will meet at 8 o'clock this afternoon.

H. M. Kromer of LaGrange, Ind., visited his son, Capt. John D. Kromer, yesterday.

A. H. Phelippeau, cashier of the G. R. & I. at Kalamazoo, was in the city yesterday.

Born: To Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Farwell of No. 674 Broadway, an eight-pound girl.

James Mooney is building a residence on Luton's court, near Lake avenue.

The entrance to the Morton house is being repainted and decorated.

The roof is being put on the Kortlander block.

Contagious Diseases.
Mrs. Markham, age 23 years, Harrisonville—typhoid fever.

Marriage Licenses.
The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued since last published, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and age of the parties:

Age	Names
20-21	Nicholas Colligan, Ada; Mary Jane Cook
20-21	Henry Dickson, Mary; Vander Zwan, 20-21
20-21	Charles Kestner, Kestner; Hansman, 20-21
20-21	Charles & Smith, Paris; Florence & Allen, Paris
20-21	Real Estate Transfers.
20-21	William E. Yager, et al. to William R. Smith, et al. \$1,000.00
20-21	Lots 4 and 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000

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